

REMARKS

The Examiner's Office Action mailed August 24, 2009, which required an election due to a restriction requirement, has been reviewed. Applicants submit the above amendments and following remarks are responsive to all points raised therein.

Status of Claims

Claim 1 is pending in the application. Claim 2 has been withdrawn. No new matter has been added.

Restriction Requirement

An election between the following species for prosecution on the merits was requested by the Examiner: Group I – Claim 1, drawn to a tablet, and, Group II – Claim 2, drawn to a process for producing tablets.

Applicants hereby elect to prosecute Group I. This election is represented by claim 1. Applicants reserve the right to file divisional applications directed to the subject matter of the non-elected claims.

Conclusion

Applicants respectfully submit that the pending claims are now in form for review.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment in connection with this amendment to Deposit Account No. 50-4260.

Respectfully submitted,
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